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REQUEST FOR CONTINUED EXAMINATION (RCE)
UNDER 37 C.F.R. § 1.114

Applicant: Egan et al.
Application Number: 09/919,739
Filing Date: July 31, 2001
Title: METHOD OF SELECTING MARKER
MOLECULES FOR PREDICTION OF
MOLECULAR ACTIVITY
Examiner Name: C. L. Smith
Group Art Unit: 1631

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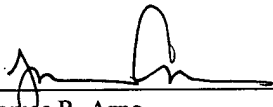
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